GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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WORKING OF ONGC
Pradhan Shri Prasanta

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has asked Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC) to stop their work in respect of exploration of finding oil and natural gas in the country;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government is considering the future strategy of working of ONGC; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI DINSHA PATEL)

(a) Government has not issued any instruction to Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC) for stoppage of their work.

(b) to (d) Question does not arise.